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No. 04-1739
Title: Jeffrey A. Beard, Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Corrections, Petitioner
v.
Ronald Banks
Docketed: June 27, 2005
Lower Ct: United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit
Case Nos.: (03-1245)
Decision Date: February 25, 2005
Rehearing Denied: March 22, 2005
Questions Presented

~~Date~~	~~~~~~~~Proceedings and Orders~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Jun 20 2005	Petition for a writ of certiorari filed. (Response due July 27, 2005)
Aug 10 2005	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of September 26, 2005.
Sep 1 2005	Response Requested . (Due October 3, 2005)
Sep 30 2005	Brief of respondent Ronald Banks in opposition filed.
Oct 12 2005	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of October 28, 2005.
Oct 31 2005	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of November 4, 2005.
Nov 7 2005	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of November 10, 2005.
Nov 14 2005	Petition GRANTED.
Dec 13 2005	Extension of time within which to file the joint appendix and petitioner's brief on the merits to and including January 5, 2006.
Jan 5 2006	Brief amici curiae of Council of State Governments, et al. filed.
Jan 5 2006	Brief amicus curiae of United States filed.
Jan 5 2006	Joint appendix filed.
Jan 5 2006	Brief of petitioner Jeffrey A. Beard, Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Corrections filed.
Jan 23 2006	SET FOR ARGUMENT on Monday, March 27, 2006.
Feb 1 2006	Extension of time within which to file respondent's brief on the merits to and including February 16, 2006.
Feb 7 2006	CIRCULATED.
Feb 9 2006	Brief amicus curiae of Becket Fund for Religious Liberty filed. (Distributed)
Feb 15 2006	Record received from U.S.C.A,. 3rd Circuit. (1 envelope)
Feb 16 2006	Brief of respondent Ronald Banks filed. (Distributed)
Feb 16 2006	Brief amici curiae of Prison Legal News, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Feb 16 2006	Brief amicus curiae of Lumumba Kenyatta Incumaa filed. (Distributed)
Feb 16 2006	Brief amici curiae of American Civil Liberties Union, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Feb 21 2006	Record received from U.S.D.C. Western District of Pennsylvania. (1 envelope)
Feb 23 2006	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument filed.
Mar 6 2006	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument GRANTED Justice Alito took no part in the consideration or decision of this motion.
Mar 14 2006	Reply of petitioner Jeffrey A. Beard, Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Corrections

filed. (Distributed)

Mar 27 2006 Argued. For petitioner: Louis J. Rovelli, Executive Deputy Attorney General, Harrisburg, Penn.; and Jonathan L. Marcus, Assistant to the Solicitor General, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. (for the United States, as amicus curiae.) For respondent: Jere Krakoff, Pittsburgh, Penn.